

Appendix D

Birth Certificate Variables

Variable Name	Variable Label
MM_DOB	Month of Birth
DD_DOB	Day of Birth
YY_DOB	Year of Birth
MM_LMP	Month of Last Menstrual Period
DD_LMP	Day of Last Menstrual Period
YY_LMP	Year of Last Menstrual Period
PNC_MTH	Month of First Prenatal Care Visit
PNC_VST	Number of Prenatal Care Visits
GRAM	Birthweight
MARRIED	Marital Status
SEX	Gender of Infant
PLURAL	Plurality
MAT_AGE	Maternal Age
MAT_ED	Maternal Education
MAT_RACE	Maternal Race
PAT_ED	Paternal Education
MM_LLB	Month of Last Live Birth
YY_LLB	Year of Last Live Birth
PRE_LB	Number of Previous Live Births

GEST_WK	Gestational Age
MOMSMOKE	Did Mom Smoke?
MOMCIG	Number of Cigarettes Per Day
MOMDRINK	Did Mom Drink?
MOMDRKS	Number of Drinks Per Week
MOMLBS	Maternal Weight Gain
DEFECT	Was the Baby Born With a Birth Defect?
OTH_TERM	Pregnancy History – Other Terminations?
DEL_VAG	Vaginal Delivery?
DEL_VCS	Vaginal Delivery After C-Section?
DEL_1CS	First C-Section?
DEL_RCS	Repeated C-Section?
DEL_FORC	Forceps Delivery?
DEL_VACM	Vacuum Delivery?
MOM_RES	Maternal County of Residence
HOSPITAL	Hospital of Birth
BC	Birth Certificate Number
HISP_BC	Hispanic?
MM_HBP	Hypertension?

MM_BLEED	Bleeding During Pregnancy?
MM_DIAB	Diabetes?
MM_FEVER	Fever?
MM_PROM	Ruptured Membrane?
MM_ABNOR	Labor Abnormality?
MM_NOMD	No Medical Risk Factors?
MM_NOLD	No Complications?
POB	Place of Birth